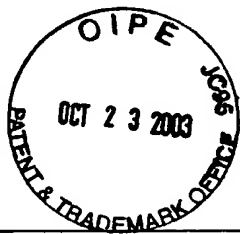


**REQUEST
for
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**



Application No.	09/717,478
Filing Date	November 20, 2000
Confirmation No.	9900
Customer No.	24961
First Named Inventor	Anderson et al.
Group Art Unit	1641
Examiner	Davis, D.
Attorney Docket No.	24727-813C

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application

1. ☐ Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

- i. ☐ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on _____.
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
- iii. ☐ Other _____.

b. ☒ Enclosed

- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
- b. ☐ Other

3. ☒ Fees

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayment(s), to Deposit Account No. 50-1213, if the attached check is missing, in the wrong amount, or otherwise improper. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
 - i. ☒ RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
 - ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
 - iii. ☒ Other Additional claim fees totaling \$9.00.
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$ 394.00 enclosed
- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (form PTO-2038 enclosed)

Signature of Applicant, Attorney or Agent Required

Typed or printed name	Stephanie Seidman	Reg. Number	33,779
Signature		Date	10/23/03
		Deposit Account	50-1213

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